

Alexandria Gazette.

MONDAY EVENING, SEPT. 22, 1902

LOCAL NEWS.

Sun rises tomorrow at 5:54 a. m. and sets at 6:00 p. m. High water at 10:40 a. m. and 11:40 p. m.

WEATHER PROBABILITIES.—For this section continued unsettled weather tonight and Tuesday; probably occasional showers; light to fresh northeast to north winds.

River Notes.

The steamer T. V. Arrowsmith will soon be laid up for repairs. She is to have considerable work done to her engine bed and galleys frame in preparation for next summer's work on the river. The steamer will be practically rebuilt inside during the coming fall and winter.

The big sixty-foot launch which is building at Dean's yard at the outlet of the old canal for Judge Yeomans of Washington, is rapidly approaching completion. The hull is entirely built and has been calked and mated and work is being pushed on the deck house, which will cover the engine room and the after cabins. It is expected the new boat will be put into the water this week.

The schooner Silver Star is loading lumber at H. K. Field & Co., wharf for Aquia creek.

The schooner Smith K. Martin has arrived at W. A. Smoot & Co's wharf with fish guano for the Alexandria Fertilizer and Chemical Company.

The schooner Mabel and Ruth is being loaded with coal at W. A. Smoot & Co's wharf for Newport News.

The schooner Lottie Carter, loaded with wood for Washington, was towed to this city in a sinking condition by a tug Saturday evening. She was pumped out and later proceeded to her destination.

Fight in the Street.

George Wood and George W. Moore, of this city, and a man named Colbert, of Washington, were arrested on King street late Saturday night. The last named was charged with assaulting Officer Griffin, who placed him under arrest. It is alleged that the three men were fighting furiously at the intersection of King and Royal streets between 10 and 11 o'clock, when Officer Griffin, dressed in citizen's clothes, arrived on the scene. Colbert struck Mr. Griffin a stunning blow in the mouth, causing the blood to spurt, but the officer clung to his prisoner and finally landed him behind the bars. Officer Bettis arrested Wood. Later Moore called at the police headquarters to offer collateral for Wood, when he was also placed under arrest by Officer Smith. The two Alexandrians were subsequently released upon leaving \$10 each for their appearance in court. The trouble is said to have started in a saloon several squares west of the place where the fight occurred. The case came up in the Police Court this morning, and, like that in all fights, the evidence varied. Wood and Moore were dismissed, but Colbert was fined \$20. The affair created considerable excitement on King street at the time of its occurrence and attracted a large crowd.

Struck and Bit a Woman.

A youth who has recently given his parents much trouble by his waywardness was in the dock in the Police Court this morning charged with striking and biting a woman in front of a north Lee street resort last night. The woman conducting these houses have been warned not to harbor this youth, his father having previously applied to the Mayor for that purpose. Last night, it seems, he went into that neighborhood and became involved in a row with one of the women who was on the pavement. The woman, it was alleged by two young men who were witnesses, used indecent language, which evidence was rebutted by the complainant and her female witnesses. In the fight which followed three other young women became involved, all pouncing on the young man who precipitated the trouble. One of the women alleged she was struck and bitten by the accused during the general "mosack" on the pavement. The youngster was fined \$10 and the woman accused of using vulgar language \$5.

Circuit Court for the City.

The Circuit Court for the city, Judge C. E. Nicol, convened this morning. The docket was called and cases set.

Joseph F. Rodgers vs. R. W. French; judgment for plaintiff for \$159.52.

Laura E. Ridgway vs. W. A. & Mt. V. R. W. Co., case set for tomorrow.

Other cases against the railway company will follow this case.

Thomas C. Hoy, vs. W. A. & Mt. V. R. W. Co., case set for 25th.

George E. Sutton vs. Hammond & Son; case set for 30th.

W. Bladen Jackson vs. J. E. Hibbs; decree confirming order of commissioner of sale, and J. M. Johnson appointed special commissioner to execute decree.

W. Bladen Jackson vs. J. E. Hibbs; final decree dismissing suit.

The jury was called and discharged until tomorrow morning at ten o'clock. A special jury will be summoned to try the railroad cases.

New Railroad Bridge.

The work of building the new Pennsylvania Railroad bridge across the Potomac is two-thirds done. As yet, however, there is but little evidence above water of the work accomplished. Three of the granite piers, which were built by the large center pier, which was built by means of a caisson, is nearly complete. There will be twelve piers altogether and two land abutments, and the contractors expect to have them all built by Christmas.

Although everything will be ready for the beginning of steel construction by the end of December, that work will not be commenced until spring, owing to the difficulties to be encountered in working in such an exposed place during cold weather. There is some need for a diver in the work despite the use of cribs and one is constantly employed.

Nelson's Second Trial.

The September term of the County Court, Judge Love, commenced this morning. The calendar includes the cases of John C. Nelson and John Tighe, accused of setting fire to gambling houses at Jackson City last July. This is the second time Nelson has been tried for the same offense, the jury in the first trial disagreeing.

After some delay a jury was secured and Mr. Clements for the Commonwealth addressed the jury, stating what he purposed to prove. The court then adjourned until tomorrow.

Personal.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter G. Rogers and Miss Agnew have returned from Atlantic City.

Mr. J. R. Caton has returned from Arkansas, where he went on legal business in which he was entirely successful.

Mr. Milton Watkins, who has been seriously ill at his home in West End for some time, has much improved.

Mrs. Phil. Leterman, who had been visiting her parents, ex-Mayor and Mrs. Strauss, left today for her home in Charlottesville.

Capt. Blake and Messrs. P. McK. Baldwin, August Calmes and Charles W. Bell have returned from a week's fishing trip to Deal's Island, Md.

Mrs. Eliza Gibbs, Mr. Robert Gibbs and his daughter Hattie, who have been visiting their relative, Mr. James S. Douglas, have returned to their homes in Louisiana.

Mr. Harry Rudd, of Alexandria, and Miss Lena Matthews, of Washington, were married in Baltimore, Saturday evening the 20th instant, by Rev. Lewis McHowell. The couple will reside at Mr. Rudd's home in Alexandria.

As previously announced, the marriage of Mr. William Murphy and Miss Laura Virginia Hamersley, daughter of Mr. William Hamersley, will take place at Old Fallowes Hall on Wednesday night. A large number of the relatives of the families represented as well as many of their friends will be present.

The condition of Mr. G. L. Bothe who is sick with typhoid fever continues favorable.

Miss Annie P. Lookett, of 112 south Patrick street, is visiting Mrs. Charles J. Williams, on Wilson street, Danville.

Rev. John Cavanaugh, pastor of the Free Methodist Church, preached his farewell sermon yesterday morning.

Miss Hattie Brown, of State Mills, is visiting Mrs. E. Hamilton Fletcher, on north Columbus street.

Miss Lucy Hoyt, of Greenville, S. C., is visiting Mrs. Edgar Warfield.

Shooting in Fairfax.

People from this city who were in lower Fairfax county yesterday report that a shooting affray occurred near Gunston on Saturday evening, in which W. H. Ward was shot twice and badly wounded by Prescott Wright. It appears that Ward rents a farm from Wright, senior, and that a misunderstanding has existed between the men for some time. On Saturday evening Prescott Wright, son of the landlord, went to the farm and tried to evict Ward, when a difficulty ensued in which Wright took a gun from Ward and shot him twice. Wright then went to Ward's stable and took a horse and left the premises. At last accounts he had not been seen about the premises since the shooting occurred.

Insane Man to be Surrendered.

Sheriff Palmer, of the county, has notified the Washington authorities that George Klein, Jr., the insane murderer who escaped from the Springfield Garden Asylum, in Baltimore, last week, will be surrendered to the asylum authorities by his relatives. The elder Klein lives on the Columbia turnpike, between Arlington and Bailey's Cross Roads. Klein went to his father's house Friday night and remained until about 4 o'clock Saturday morning. Where he went no one has been found who will tell. Sheriff Palmer received word from Klein's brother yesterday that the family was consulting a lawyer relative to certain points in the case, and that they would probably surrender Klein today.

Industrial Parade.

A colored industrial conference and parade took place in this city today. All of the various occupations with which the colored race is identified in this city were represented in the parade. Rev. Wesley F. Graham, D. D., of Richmond was orator of the day. Booker T. Washington, who was invited to discharge this function, having been unable to accept. The weather has been threatening all day, and consequently many colored people living in the neighboring counties who were expected to participate in the parade remained away. The route of the procession was over the streets previously announced in the programme.

Registration.

But two more days are left for those who desire to register as voters in the First ward, and three days more in the Second, as the registration books close for one year in those wards at 9 o'clock on Wednesday and Thursday nights respectively. When the books were closed in the First ward on Saturday night 218 whites had been registered and 12 colored. In the Second ward 167 white and 9 colored names have so far been registered. The books in the Third and Fourth wards were opened today when the registration of voters in those wards was begun. In the Third ward persons can register at either precinct, but of course they will vote in the one in which they live.

Fire in the County.

Shortly after two o'clock this morning fire broke out in the Virginia Rod and Gun Club house at Four-mile run, and before the progress of the flames could be arrested the structure and most of its contents were entirely destroyed. This is the second time the club house of this association has been destroyed by fire in that neighborhood recently, the first one having occurred a short distance north of the building destroyed last night. The building was erected some time ago by Mrs. Hall for a country residence, but had recently been occupied by the Virginia Rod and Gun Club. It was owned by Mr. Stiller, of Washington.

On a Long Trip.

Morris Frankel and William Winkelman, the two young men who started from New York city August 18 last for a trip around the world and who have been in Washington during the past ten days arranging for passports, arrived in this city last night, and were accommodated with lodging at the station house. They left Washington on foot about 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. They resumed their journey this morning, going from here to Fredericksburg and Richmond.

Yesterday.

The uncertain meteorological condition yesterday interfered with the plans of most people except such as had determined to engage in bass fishing who engaged in the sport despite the threatening weather. A north-east wind with occasional rains, or more properly mist, kept many within doors. The churches barely had average congregations and there was a marked falling off in the number of people usually seen on the streets on Sundays. Some excursion boats passed up and down the river with slim complements of passengers. There were but few visitors in the city.

Sturgeon, trout and tailors will be for sale by G. E. T. Lee & Co in market tomorrow.

DRY GOODS.

LANSBURGH & BRO.,

Washington's Favorite Store.

Business Hours 8 A. M. to 6 P. M. Saturdays 9 o'clock.

Special Linen Values

We offer you an opportunity to buy high-class linens at prices usually asked for inferior grades.

Hemmed Huck Towels, undressed, heavy quality, 18x36..... 12½c
Hemmed Huck Towels, heavy 18c
quality, pure linen.....

German Damask Napkins, undressed, 20x40, per dozen..... \$1 00
Irish Table Damask, 44-inch, full bleached, extra heavy quality, per yd. 50c

Hemmed Huck Towels, heavy quality, 20x40..... 12½c
Hemmed Huck Towels, pure German linen, 20x38..... 20c

German Napkins, undressed, 20-inch, per dozen..... \$1.35
Irish Sateen Table Damask, 26-inch, extra fine quality. Special, per yard 75c

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420 to 426 Seventh Street, WASHINGTON, D. C.

Charged With Stealing a Ring.

Miss Juliet Coffin, living at 1207 Duke street, notified Officer Roberts yesterday morning that a gold ring set with pearls and rubies had been stolen from her residence. The officer went to work on the case and a few hours later recovered the stolen jewel and arrested William Stroder, a colored boy, on suspicion of having committed the theft. The accused was brought before the Mayor this morning. After hearing the evidence the Mayor determined to send the boy to the reform school.

Busy Again.

Mr. Charles Goodrich, Measurer of Wood and Bark for the past quarter of a century, has by no means been overburdened with official duties. Now, however, firewood is arriving in large quantities and there is more coming, both on the railroads and the river, and the wood measurer's office this year will be very busy. Little or no tanbark comes, for most of the Alexandria tannery work is done away from the office and in the midst of the bark-furnishing country.

The Weather.

The present uncertain weather conditions exist over the country east of the Rocky mountains, and rains are reported from nearly all sections of the Atlantic coast. The changes in temperature have been slight. Storm warnings are displayed from Fort Monroe to North Carolina. The wind still holds from the northeast, and will doubtless increase in force before it veers to the west and brings clear and cooler weather.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Several minor cases were disposed of in the Police Court this morning.

As the fall advances the number of applicants for lodging at the station house increases. Last night five were accommodated.

Mr. Hugh P. Gillin, of Philadelphia, died Saturday at the residence of Head. Bailey's Cross Roads, Fairfax county, where he was visiting. Mr. Gillin was twenty-seven years of age, unmarried, and a son of D. F. Gillin, of Philadelphia. The remains were last night sent to Philadelphia for interment.

Some excitement was caused in the southern section of the city shortly after 12 o'clock today by a citizen who was chasing some colored boys who had resented one of his children. A warrant was subsequently issued for the assailant.

All the pulpits in the churches in the city were filled yesterday by the Alexandria pastors for the first time in several weeks.

"The Sanctuary," illustrated, will be the subject of the discourse at the Gospel tent meeting tonight.

The days and nights are now of equal length.

The autumnal equinox.

For a bad taste in the mouth take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. For sale by Richard Gibson Drug-gists.

A Sad Disappointment.

Ineffective liver medicine is a disappointment but you don't want to purge, strain and break the glands of the stomach and bowels. De Witt's Little Early Risers never disappoint. They cleanse the system of all poison and putrid matter and do so gently that one enjoys the pleasant effects. They are a tonic to the liver. Cure biliousness, torpid liver and prevent fever. For sale by E. S. Leadbeater & Sons.

WANTED.

WANTED.—A YOUNG GIRL in office—one who has some knowledge of bookkeeping. Address CUYLLER & CO. sep22 3t

BOY WANTED.—BOY 16 to 18 years of age to learn the photographic business at NARAMORE'S STUDIO, 417 King street. sep22 3t

WANTED.—COLORED MAN and WIFE. Men to take charge of small farm and wife to do general housework in family of four. Good pay to responsible party. Address, Room 53, 1200 Pa. ave., Washington. sep22 3t

WANTED.—At greenhouse, 815 south Patrick street, 2 BOYS at \$3 per week; 1 HELPER \$6 per week. Apply to Foreman. sep19 3t

WANTED.—WHITE MAN with small family to work on farm two miles from Alexandria; one accustomed to handling horses; \$25 a month, house and fuel. Must have good recommendations. Apply to D. N. RUST, 122 south Washington street. sep14 17

A CALLED COMMUNICATION OF ANDREW JACKSON LODGE NO. 120, A. F. & A. M., will be held at Macdonald's, TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 23, at 7:30 P. M. for work. By order of the Worshipful Master. JAS. E. ALEXANDER, Secretary. sep22 2t

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA: ss.

On this 18th day of September, A. D. 1902, on reading the petition of C. B. Wilson, bankrupt, for discharge, it is ordered by the court, that a hearing be had upon the same, on the SEVENTH DAY OF OCTOBER, A. D. 1902, before said court, at Alexandria, in said district, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon; and that notice thereof be published in the Alexandria Gazette, a newspaper printed in said district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner may not be granted.

And it is further ordered by the court, that the clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order addressed to them at their places of residence as stated.

Witness the Honorable Edmund Waddill, jr., judge of the said court, and the seal thereof, at Alexandria, in said district, on the 18th day of September, A. D. 1902.

[Seal of Court] GEORGE E. BOWDEN, Clerk.

By JOHN S. FOWLER, Deputy Clerk. sep22 2t

DRY GOODS.

Woodward & Lothrop,

10th, 11th & F Sts N. W.

During the heated term the store will close at 5 o'clock P. M. each day except Saturday—that day at 1 o'clock.

This Monday We Place on Sale . .

New Etamines and Mistrals

At Nearly Half Price.

We have just purchased a few pieces of these beautiful and dress fabrics at a price about half the real value. Black and desirable shades of tan, French blue and navy blue are included.

MISTRAL
40 inches wide, 50c a yard. Usually \$1.

ETAMINE
55 inches wide, 65c a yard. Usually \$1.

We also offer, under price.

New Fancy Waistings.
Suitable for waists, children's dresses and women's house dresses.
50c a yard. Usually 75c.

Centre Tables, Main floor, Tenth street.
Displaying the

New Fall Silks
We placed on sale today
21-INCH MOIRE VELOURS

At the reasonable price of 75c per yard.
These goods were intended to be our regular \$1.00 quality, but finding them not fully up to standard, we offer same at the above price. Colors are navy, golden brown, old rose, cardinal, green and gray. The goods are in demand for waists, skirts and suits, and they are well worth the price.

We also offer a lot of
24-INCH PEAU DE MIGNON
at 75c per yard.

A quality that was made to retail for \$1.25 per yard.

Finding the quantity greater than we care to have on hand, we have decided to offer the surplus at the very special price of 75c per yard.

Colors are Dresden, tan, old rose, maize, violet, rose and lilac. This is an ideal silk fabric for entire dresses and waists and an excellent lining under lace and thin goods.

Center Tables, Main floor, Eleventh st., rear.

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Medium and Heavy-Weight

Underwear
For Ladies' Gentlemen and Children.
All Prices.
Special line Fleece for gentlemen
At 39c

Blankets,
50c, 85c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50, 2.00
Up to \$5.00 a pair.

Comforts,
75c, \$1, \$1.25, 1.50, up to \$2.50 each.

Flannelettes.
Handsome line for waists, kimono, night robes, &c.

Bed Spreads,
75c, 85c, \$1, \$1.25 to \$1.50 each.

Table Damasks,
25c, 50c to 85c.

Towels,
5c, 10c, 12½c, 25c, to 50c each.

Napkins,
Fringed and Bookfold, all prices.

Canton Flannel,
5c, 7c, 8c, 10c, and 12½c per yard.

Sheetings, Pillow Case Cotton, &c.
Good Unbleached Cotton, short ends, at 5c each.

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Alexandria Knitting-Mills
Half Hose at 12½c per pair are the best for the money that can be found. Try them.

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Acton's Precision Watch
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